

MORGAN STATE COLLEGE

BALTIMORE, MD.

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Mrs. Effa Manley
Newark Eagles
156 Spruce Street
Newark, N. J.

Dear Mrs. Manley:

This letter is in answer to yours of June 12th in reference to using Givens on your Baseball Team this season.

The status of CIAA athletes playing summer baseball is the same as it was when I last talked with you about the matter. The CIAA voted to let them play in its last annual meeting but since that time it has asked each college to not to let the men play. This comes only as an urgent request and not as an order. I think however that the other college will respect the request coming from the conference. Personally, I think they should be permitted to play and so voted in our last meeting. This leaves me in a spot somewhat to decide just what to do. There was a concerted effort to declare him professional last year by a strong faction of our conference. All of this makes any decision on my part harder.

If Givens wishes to play I shall not try to prevent him from doing so. I am expecting to come up that way very soon now and would like to talk with you farther on the matter.

Thanking you for your kind consideration.

Very truly yours,

E. P. Hurt
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